



# 2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

## District 19, Florida

**Number of farms:** 261

**Land in farms:** 21,560 acres

**Average size of farm:** 83 acres

**Irrigated Land:** 16,976 acres

**Total Number of Farm Operators:** 437

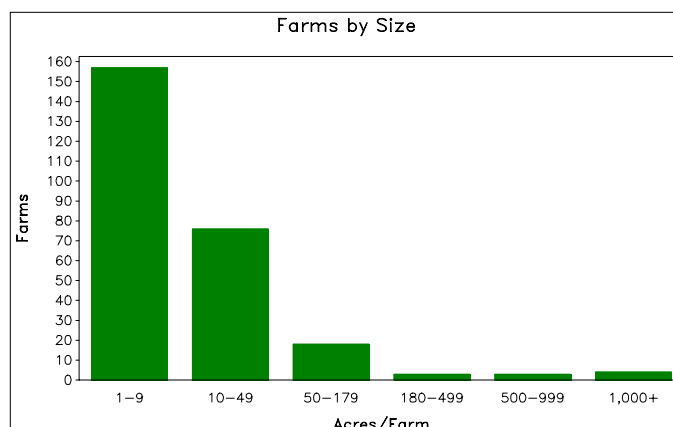
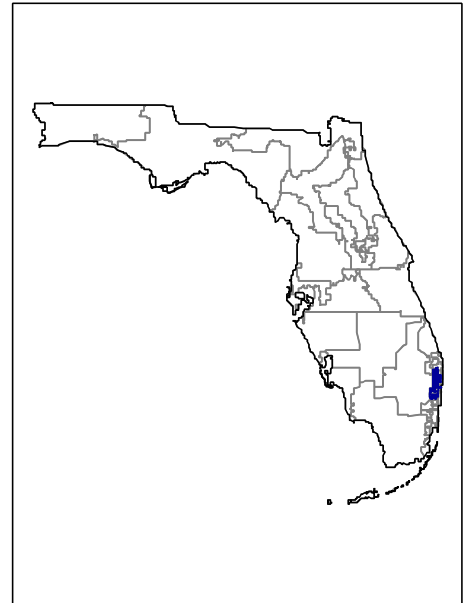
**Market Value of Production:** \$163,438,000

**Market Value of Production, average per farm:** \$626,200

**Government Payments:** (D)

**Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments:** (D)

**Gross Income from Farm Related Sources:** \$2,325,000



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**Ranked items among the 25 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002**

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	163,438	13	25	220	418
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) <sup>2</sup></b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-	15	-	371
Tobacco	-	-	4	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	3	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	68,532	6	24	41	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	24	(D)	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	91,554	7	25	33	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	17	(D)	349
Poultry and eggs	1	22	23	372	382
Cattle and calves	67	21	24	358	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	19	-	339
Hogs and pigs	-	-	20	-	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	23	(D)	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	150	21	23	341	398
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	20	(D)	321
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Horses and ponies	1,344	17	24	310	408
Cattle and calves	312	21	24	361	394
Hogs and pigs	294	18	22	311	371
All Goats	186	19	22	333	387
Ducks	(D)	15	21	(D)	363
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
All Vegetables harvested	14,665	5	24	54	398
Bell peppers	8,864	1	17	1	353
Tomatoes	(D)	7	21	(D)	381
Cucumbers and pickles <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	19	(D)	351
All Oranges <sup>3</sup>	(D)	(D)	23	(D)	89

**Other Congressional District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	26	Farming	136
\$1,000 to \$2,499	36	Other	125
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	Male	198
\$20,000 to \$24,999	7	Female	63
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	19	Average age of principal operator (years)	53.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	9		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	21	All operators <sup>4</sup> by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9	White	391
\$500,000 or more	46	Black or African American	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	116,127	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
Average per farm (\$)	1,197,186	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	21
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	45,993	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	142,835	All operators <sup>4</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	37

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>2</sup> Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

<sup>3</sup> Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line, position in table does not indicate rank.

<sup>4</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.